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Applicant : Hoffman et al.  
 App. No : 10/608,915  
 Filed : June 27, 2003  
 For : METHODS FOR PEPTIDE-PROTEIN  
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## Mail Stop Amendment

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement Mailed November 22, 2005, Applicants respectfully submit the following remarks.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.